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Where many take the easy plan
Of running up a score,
And say when being dunned for pay,
With much surprise and sorrow:
"It's not convenient, sir, to-day—
Please call around to-morrow."

Those people always want the best,
And want it very quick;
They grumble more than all the rest
Who never buy on tick.
Yet they, when being dunned for pay,
Say with surprise and sorrow:
"It's not convenient, sir, to-day—
Please call around to-morrow."

Those humbugs have a lofty air
And live in royal style,
And, judging by the clothes they wear,
They own a golden pile—
Yet they, when being dunned for pay,
Exclaim in fright and sorrow:
"It's not convenient, sir, to-day—
Please call around to-morrow."

The customers who buy for cash,
Have rights we should protect;
To pay for other people's dash
They certainly object—
Yet, they must do it anyway
When tradesmen call "to-morrow"
Or shortly folks who never pay
And live on what they borrow.

To my honest trading man
These frauds are all a bore,
And when they, cooler than a fan,
Walk gayly in store
They should be treated in their way,
And told with little sorrow:
"It's not convenient—till you pay—
Please call around to-morrow."
—H. C. Dodge, in Goodall's Sun.

TRAPPED.

An Incident in the Life of a Telegraph Operator.

While in a small town in Wyoming Territory I learned that a lady living there had been the heroine of a thrilling adventure with train robbers, and curiosity and love for the brave induced me to call on her to tell me the story, says a writer in the Hartford Times. When I went to her house I was welcomed by a handsome lady of about thirty, and in response to my earnest request for this one chapter of her life she related the following:

"In 1873, when but a girl of eighteen, I left my home in Omaha and came out here to fill the lonesome position of a night operator at a small station on the Pacific railway in this Territory. It was a dreary, desolate spot in the midst of a desert. The only buildings at the station, apart from the depot, were a section house, occupied by a track foreman and a few Chinese laborers, a water tank and a coal shed. The day operator and agent, a mere boy, slept at the section house, about two hundred yards distant, so that during the long, dreary night I was alone in the depot.

"No. 4 express train, bound East, was due at 2:15 in the morning, but it never stopped unless signaled, and as this was the only train during the latter portion of the night you can imagine my lonely situation upon the desert wild. I had my books and guitar for companions and passed much of the time reading, and when the doleful howlings of the wolves were borne to my ears from the distant sand hills I would pick up my guitar and endeavor to drown their cries with music and song.

"The superintendent of the division, a buoyant, high-spirited young gentleman, came over the road at frequent intervals and cheered me up with promises of a better position when a vacancy should occur. He often found me on the very brink of despair, almost on the point of resigning my position and returning to my humble home and the mother who depended on my salary for the necessaries of life; but his promises, his genial conversation and words of encouragement drove away the gloom, and I came to look for his visits with a sense of the keenest pleasure. I began to regard him with a sisterly affection, he was so kind and tender, and so solicitous for my welfare and comfort.

"One night shortly after midnight, as I sat at my table reading a late novel, I thought I heard a shuffling footstep on the depot platform; but as it was not repeated I concluded it was but a wolf more daring than his cowardly fellows, and I resumed my book. A few moments later I heard a low knocking at the door, which I always kept locked, and a strange feeling came over me. During my several weeks' stay at the station I had never had a visitor, and the sudden knock, so low, yet so startlingly clear in the stillness of the night, caused my form to tremble and my cheek to blanch.

"My first thought was of Indians, and then I reasoned that it might be some tramps desiring shelter. While I sat there in affright the knock was repeated louder than before, and mustering all my courage I approached the door and asked:

"'Who's there?'

"A gruff voice replied:

"'A traveler who desires to take the East-bound train.'

"It was my plain and unmistakable duty to admit him, and, with trembling fingers, I drew the bolt.

"Instantly the door was pushed violently open, and I sprang back to the table and sank into my chair in terror, when seven burly men, wearing cloth masks on their faces and armed to the teeth, entered the office. One of them, evidently the leader, walked up to me, and, pointing a large revolver to my head, said in a low, firm voice:

"'Gal, we don't want to hurt you, but if you make a suspicious move, or scream, or give any alarm, so that any o' the men in the section-house kin hear you, I'll spile the looks o' that pretty face with a bullet. Be quiet and sensible, and behave yourself, and yer shan't be hurt. Whar's yer red signal lamp?'

"'What would you do?' I gasped.

"'None o' your business. We don't want to hear any unnecessary back talk, nor no impertinent questions. Whar's the red lamp?'

"A thrill of horror swept over me when the truth burst upon me that I was in the hands of a band of desperate train robbers, whose evident intention it was to signal the train and rob the express car at my station. What could I do? It was yet three hours until the train was due, but I could not elude my captors to rouse the section men, and I knew by the ugly gleam in the leader's eyes, through the hole in his mask, that if I made the least outcry he would not hesitate to carry out his threat and murder me. I knew they could find the lamp easily by searching for it, and in a trembling voice I told him it was hanging just inside the door of the freight room. One of the men got it, and, after examining it to see that it was in order, the rough band took seats to await the incoming of the train.

The leader lit his pipe, and looking at me for a few minutes steadily, said:

"'Young gal, when that ar train toots her whistle we've got some work for you. An official duty, as you might call it. You must go out thar on the platform and signal the train to stop and take on some first-class passengers. An' lookee here, if you make a suspicious move or don't swing the red lamp in the proper way we'll just ventilate that graceful body with bullets an' jump on our horses and git. Do you understand?'

"A desperate resolve had been taking place in my bewildered brain. I replied that I fully understood him, and with a piteous cry, "Oh, you will make a murderer of me!" I threw my arms and my head down upon the table and began to cry and sob as if my heart were breaking. Had he seen my face he might have noticed a total absence of tears. I was crying for a purpose.

"When my arms dropped upon the table I allowed my hands to fall upon the armature of the telegraph instrument, so that I could prevent it from ticking, while my right hand rested upon the key. Sobbing, so that any slight clicking the key might make would not reach the robbers, I opened it and slowly made the telegraphic characters:

H E L P

"These I repeated several times, hoping they might reach the ear of some operator on the line. I then slowly and distinctly wrote these words, still sobbing violently:

"'Who—hears—this—for—Heaven's—sake—report—to—train—dispatcher—at—Laramie—quick—that—I—am—in—the—hands—of—seven—robbers—who—will—compel—me—to—flag—No.—4—Send—help—quick.'

"Then I signed name and office call.

"I released the armature and the instrument clicked out:

"'Brace—up—little—girl—I—hear you—H.'

"'If was the train dispatcher's call. With a fierce shout the leader sprang forward and rudely snatched me away from the table, and asked:

"'Gal, what's that?'

"'Only a distant office asking for orders for a freight train,' I responded.

"'None of yer lyin', you little imp,' he roared. 'Yer up to some trick.'

"'No,' I replied, 'I am not. If I were doing that my fingers would be on the instrument. Don't you see I am not touching it, and yet it works. It is only an order for a freight train away down at Medicine Bow.'

"'Keep away from that table,' he said, savagely. 'An' if I ketch you at any tricks I'll choke the life out of you.'

"Oh, how eagerly my ears drank in every word the instrument clicked out. I heard a telegram to the sheriff of Green River, twenty miles west, asking him to arm a posse of men at once and get on board a special train which would be ready for him. Then another to the young superintendent, who was at Green River, telling him how my slowly-written words had been heard by the dispatcher, and asking him to supervise the preparations to fly to my relief. Then a third dispatch to the master mechanic instructing him to fire up his fastest passenger engine and couple on to a carriage and await the superintendent's orders. My heart beat so violently that it almost took my breath away. It seemed an age ere I heard the Green River operator call the dispatcher and say:

"'The superintendent, with sheriff and twenty armed men are aboard, and train ready for orders.'

"The order came flying. It told the engineer he had a clear track and to run at his very highest speed to within a half mile of my station, and with his party to alight. Then came the welcome report from the Green River office:

"'Special east departed 1:15.'

"Oh, how my poor heart beat, and how my every nerve tingled with excitement, 1:15—I mentally figured that the train on such a desperate errand should make nearly a mile a minute, and reach the stopping point at 1:36.

"The robber chief gave his men their instructions. I was to be sent alone to signal the train, and when it halted the band would make a rush and board the train.

"'Bill, you jump on the engine as soon as she stops and hold the engineer and fireman under your gun. Jack, you pile into the mail car an' make the clerk give up his registered letters, an' Yank an' Aleck'll work the express car, while Tom an' Shorty hold the conductor and brakeman back. Do your work quick an' bold, an' don't be afeard to burn powder if necessary. Thar's a big haul on that train, an' we've got to have it.'

"How eagerly I watched the clock, and how slowly, how very, very slowly the hands seemed to move—1:21, 1:25 and 1:30 were ticked off; 1:35! Would they never come?

"The men sat on the bench along the west side of the room, facing along the two windows on the east. I tried to figure how long it would require for the men to walk to the depot from the stopping place. Perhaps even then they were surrounding the station, and I might hear a knock at the door any instant. Would there be a fight? Oh, horrible thought! In a few moments I might see men shot down before my face, and I might myself be killed. I almost fainted with fright. The blood seemed to freeze in my veins, and I grasped the chair or I would have fallen to the floor—1:40! There came a fearful crash of glass, and the black muzzles of a perfect cloud of rifles were thrust through the windows and pointed directly at the robbers. Then a voice cried out:

"'Men, throw up your hands! I am the sheriff, and in the name of the law demand your surrender. Make but a move, and I'll order my men to fire!'

"'Yer little cat!' hissed the leader, glaring at me savagely, as the band suddenly held aloft their hands. Then the sheriff and three men entered and disarmed and handcuffed the robbers, and I saw the superintendent looking at me and heard him say: 'What a debt I owe you, my brave girl,' and then I fell fainting into his arms.

"When I regained consciousness I was lying in my room at Green River, with several ladies around me, and was told that seven days had elapsed since the capture of the robbers. I was suffering from brain fever, brought on by the terrible strain I had passed through, and had been unconscious for that long period. For many days thereafter I hovered on the border between life and death, and the superintendent was at my bedside several times every day, cheering me up with words of encouragement and doing all in his power to alleviate my sufferings.

"I finally recovered and was called into court to testify against the desperate gang. I shall never forget their fierce glances toward me as I told how I entrapped them, or how, in spite of the judge and court officers to suppress it, the crowd cheered me as I left the stand. The men were sent for long terms to an Eastern prison and I have never heard of them since."

"And did the company reward you for saving the train?" I asked.

"Well, only slightly. Corporations have no souls, you know. But I revenged myself on the superintendent, in a manner."

"In what way?"

"I married him," she replied, with a charming smile.

A MUMMY INTERVIEWED.

He Patiently Listens to a Few Old Jokes and Drops Off to Sleep Again.

Good morning, Mr. Mummy. Woke up at last, have you? Any objection to being interviewed?

Don't see that I can help myself very well.

What is your age?

Three thousand years.

You seem to be pretty well preserved for so old a man. Ever drink?

I'd like to, for I'm awful dry.

Did you belong to the royal family of Egypt?

Yes; one of the Ptolemi.

I thought so.

Why?

You're so kind o' stuck up.

Yes, I've been stuck up in this niche for a long time.

Hadn't you better lay off your wraps? You won't feel them when you go out if you don't.

You must take me for a medium.

Why?

You speak about laying off my raps.

I see. Are you in the original package in which you were put up?

I am. It's a mixture of myrrh—

The myrrh-bearers!

Sulphate of soda, saltpeter—

Did they salt Peter for it?

Cinnamon, resin—

Excuse me. Were you a beau in your day?

Well, rather.

Then they wanted to resin the beau?—but go on.

Asphalt and bitumen.

Bit-tu-men! No wonder they bound you over to keep the peace. But what is your outer covering, your ulster, as it were?

About a thousand yards of papyrus.

It must have made your papyrus-tle 'round pretty lively to accumulate all of that.

He was a Ptolemi, sir (proudly).

Well?

Would you expect him Ptolemi without suitable embalming?

Of course not. No Egyptian would do it in your day. According to report, there was nothing that would make an Egyptian around equal to the necessity of preparing a family mummy so that it would keep. Any of the little jokes of mine strike you as novel?

No. I heard them all when I was a kid.

Mummy sighs wearily and drops off to sleep again.—Texas Siftings.

How to Clean Engravings.

It frequently happens that fine engravings, despite the care taken of them, will in some unaccountable way become stained and soiled to such an extent as to seriously impair their beauty. To those of our readers who own engravings that have been injured in this way, a recipe for cleaning them will prove of value. Put the engraving on a smooth board, and cover it with a thin layer of common salt, finely pulverized; then squeeze lemon juice upon the salt until a considerable portion of it is dissolved. After every part of the picture has been subjected to this treatment, elevate one end of the board so that it will form an angle of about forty-five degrees with the horizon. From any suitable vessel, pour on the engraving boiling water, until the salt and lemon juice are all washed off. It will then be perfectly free from stain. It must be dried on the board, or on some smooth surface, gradually. If dried by the fire or sun, it will be tinged with a dingy, yellowish color.—Woman's Work.

—Our happiness depends on little things, says a philosopher. This is true. A man who comes into possession of a plugged quarter can never know true happiness till he succeeds in passing it off on some one.—Boston Courier.

THE PERSUASIVE PEDDLER.

He drifted in in a quiet way,
And he softly said what he had to say,
And we all sat still,
For his manner was bland and his voice was mild;
He seemed like an innocent, trusting child.
How could we kill
A visitor who came in like that,
Who didn't forget to take off his hat
Or wipe his feet;
Who talked in a gentle, modest way,
And softly said what he had to say
In a tone discreet?

He told of the wares he had to sell,
But so gently he told what he had to tell
That we still sat still,
For he was so quiet, and so polite
That none of us, somehow, could make it seem right
To try to fill
The circumambient air with him,
Or to dislocate him limb from limb,
As we used to do
When agents called and bothered us so
That we really sometimes didn't know
Just what we had done till it was all o-
Ver and we'd got through.

So he mildly sold us scissors and knives,
And matches, and hair-oil, neck-ties, and lives
Of the Presidents,
Elastics, and buttons, and needles, and thread,
And shoe-strings, and pencils with movable lead
(For thirty cents)—
And when he went out, as his quiet way,
After bidding us all a soft "Good-day!"
With a lightened load,
We all looked thankly at what we'd bought,
And we all exclaimed, with a common thought:
"Well, I'll be blowed!"
—Somerville Journal.

THE RETURN VISIT.

How Mr. Meadowland Kept Summer Boarders.

I have received the following letter from Mr. Elijah H. Meadowland, who last season carried on a summer boarding-house in a quiet way. This letter, as some one has said, explains itself:

MY DEAR SIR: Your letter, in which you say you are going to write a book on "Summer Board and Other Noxious Institutions," and want some facts about the business, is received. It will make me feel first-rate it I can help you any, and I will tell you what I learned about the business while running my house, which I might say right here I have just entirely refitted for next season, having painted the front door and moved the hen-coop.

I opened my house the first of last June, putting small notices in the New York papers that quiet country board with cow on the premises and fresh air and marked absence of musketeers could be had by addressing "J. X., this office." "J. X." stood for me, you understand. While I was waiting for people to begin corresponding with "J. X." my wife's cousin happened to find out there her dear old friend was living, and came up from the city on a visit, bringing her husband and her five children with her, 'cause she reckoned they would enjoy the cow facilities, and so forth. We was glad to see 'em and give 'em the front rooms, and was reviving old memories and milking the cow three times a day so the children would have enough, when along comes an uncle of mine, and brings his wife and three children, and all of them was tickled to death to learn that we had a cow; and they settled down in the back rooms. Before the public began to correspond to amount to any thing with "J. X.," two second cousins of my wife's aunt, and a man who brought along a family tree with a black frame around it under his arm, to prove to me that he was a cousin of a nephew of mine, dropped in and took the small, scattering rooms around here and there, and most of them mentioned that they was fond of milk. About a week after I had a letter from one man, and he came up to see me. I told him that if he could figure it out that he was any relation, he might just as well stay all summer and it wouldn't cost him a cent; but he said he guessed he couldn't do it. I told him I thought probably my nephew's cousin could get him up a tree in a little while, but he said no, he expected to pay for his board; so we set up a bed for him in the garret. Sometimes he talked about going back to town, but the others wasn't heard making any such remarks. I had several other chances to take cash boarders, who couldn't trace no relationship, but I had to turn them away, as the house was full. The second cousin of my wife's aunt complained some because the boarder took up so much room, and I heard 'em say that if it wasn't for him they could have their father and mother come and make a pleasant little family party. But we all got rid of him along in the middle of the summer because the lightning struck him one night as he was sleeping up in his room close to the lightning-rod, and tore his bedstead all to pieces, and the next morning he said he guessed he would go back to the city.

The summer passed middling soon after all, as the young ones they had brought with them got into so much mischief that it made it very lively for me. About the 1st of October they began to drop off, and by the middle the family reunion was over. My wife's cousin, the one with a husband and five children that had come first and popularized the movement, as I may say, give us a very urgent invitation to come down and see them this winter. I remarked to Matilda that it wouldn't be no bad plan.

Just after the hollerdays we begun to rig up for the trip and get the six children ready. I thought, to make the thing just right, we ought to have a few others along, so I sent up to my uncle's and got him and his wife and two children to go with us. His wife had a distant cousin that had seven children and a husband that worked in a saw-mill; and the oldest girl was growed up and was married and had a baby. They all agreed to the trip soon as I mentioned it to them, and I fixed them up a family tree. When we got to the depot in New York we judged we hadn't better go all at once, so I and my family started ahead, and my uncle's folks were to start in fifteen minutes, and the saw-mill cousin crowd in half an hour.

We found the place by the help of a policeman who went ahead, and when we knocked on the door and they let us in, they peared some surprised, but said they was glad to see us. We sat down around on the chairs and some of our children went out in the hall and began to fight with their children and pound them up pretty bad, and I was pleasant and told them I hoped they had a cow and said I s'posed they didn't have no boarders up in the attic, 'cause we wanted plenty of room. Pretty soon Uncle John and his folks dropped in, and after a few minutes the rest of the procession; and the town children being all cleaned out the new ones begun fighting with ours.

"Quite a pleasant little family reunion," says I. "Yes, very pleasant," says my wife's cousin's husband, looking round sort of fierce; "any more coming?" I told him I thought the family was now all together, and we settled down and began making ourselves at home, and the man whose business took him so much into the saw-mill took a stick out of his pocket and began whittling.

We pretty well filled the house, but no more than they had filled mine, so I didn't care and we enjoyed ourselves for a couple of weeks. The first meal we thought they didn't eat any thing but soup, there being nothing else in sight and only a couple of small dishes apiece around of that, though I did manage to get a third. Then they cleared every thing off the table, but didn't get up and go away, so I stayed, too, and I begun to think mebby they was going to hang on till it was time for the next meal; and the saw-mill relative had got out his stick and begun whittling again, when they brought us something more, and I seen they wasn't going to try to keep us on soup alone. The meal was broke up that way several times, most of the dishes rushed off and a clothes-brush run over the table-cloth, and it began to look once as if the saw-mill end of the family would have to get another stick; but they wound the thing up at last. All their meals were spasmodic that way and had periods of great depression, as I might put it. I never seen any thing look lonesomer than their table when they cleaned it off next to the last time.

Most every day some of them used to ask us if we s'posed the stock and every thing was all right out home, and I told them we arranged every thing before we came away, so that we could stay a couple of weeks just as well as not. When that time was up, though, we came back home.

Mr. Meadowland concludes:

This is all of my experience with summer boarders so far, or making return visits. As I said, my house is thoroughly renovated and refurnished, and I think if our relatives keep away next summer that I may be able to make some money. I think, mebbe, they won't bother us much, as they didn't say any thing about coming out after we had been there a day or two."—Fred H. Carruth, in N. Y. Tribune.

STREET-CAR ETIQUETTE.

Suggestions Compiled for the Benefit of Thoughtless Men and Women.

FOR LADIES.

Always speak in a loud tone of voice in a horse-car. It attracts attention.

Never tell the conductor where you wish to get off. He is supposed to know.

Never thank the man who gives you his seat. He might think you wanted to flirt with him.

If you have three or four bundles lay them on the seat beside you, especially if the car is crowded. You will not be so crowded yourself.

Always try to stop the car on the near side of the crossing. You will have to walk to the other side, and this makes a good excuse for jawing the conductor.

If the conductor carries you a block or so beyond your destination, look daggers at him and turn up your nose. This will have a tendency to make him feel good.

Do not wait for the car to stop before getting off, but alight with your face to the rear of the car. The result will be unpleasant, but you will have shown your independence.

If you have a lady friend in the car always kiss her and tell her to "be sure and call" before getting off. This gives the horses a chance to rest and pleases the conductor. This urbane official will be particularly pleased if you stop to add a choice bit of gossip to your parting admonition.

FOR GENTLEMEN.

Never give your seat to a lady unless she is young and pretty.

Make a practice of spitting on the floor. Do not omit it if a lady is sitting opposite you.

It is a good plan to read a newspaper in the street-car. It gives you an excuse for not noticing that a lady wants a seat.

If there are any pretty girls on the car stare at them hard and persistently. This has a tendency to make them feel comfortable.

Make a practice of whistling in the cars. Your traveling companions will be obliged to hear it, and they may possibly delight in listening.

Cross your legs so that they will occupy the full width of the aisle. This will afford additional exercise to the conductor, who is badly in need of it.—N. Y. Evening Sun.

CONTRASTS IN COURT.

The Long and the Short of the Matter.

There is a story about old Peter Faucett, the New South Wales Supreme Court Judge, who lately retired. He was somewhat shortsighted, and one day a very diminutive barrister appeared before him to move something or other.

When the short man stood up alongside "Jumbo," a very tall barrister, who was sitting down, their heads were about on a level, and as soon as the small man began:

"If your Honor please, I——"

"Ye must stand up when y' address the Coort," interrupted old Peter irascibly.

"I am standing up," said the small man, with dignity.

"Then tell the gentleman alongside ye to sit down."—New Zealand Times.

WHEN PEOPLE DIE.

Physicians Throw Some Light on a Very Interesting Subject.

For many years medical science has been wondering whether there is any particular hour in the twenty-four at which more deaths occur than at any other time of day, and while statistics have been compiled and the figures subjected to exhaustive investigations, but little, if any, light has been thrown upon the subject. Here in this city the physicians at the different hospitals are almost entirely of the opinion that there is no reason to believe that people die at any particular hour any more than there is to believe that people are taken sick at a certain hour, and, as no statistics as to the hours at which patients died have been kept, it is impossible to state even if there are more deaths at one time of the day than at another.

Dr. Wells, the chief physician at the Almshouse Hospital, said he did not believe there could be any thing in the idea. "Of course," said he, "there are certain diseases which are attended by fever during the night, and as a natural result the patient will die of exhaustion after the reaction upon the nervous system incident to the fever has relaxed. The relaxation occurs with the coming of daylight, but the patient does not necessarily die at that time, the hour of death depending entirely upon his or her constitution.

"If they be strong and hardy patients, whose ailments are attended by fever, they will last much longer than patients whose constitutions are run down, and who are physical wrecks. Apart from this there are a thousand and one reasons which could be advanced in denial of any existing theory as to the hour at which most deaths occur. The time of a person's death depends entirely upon the age, the sex, the physical condition and numerous other things, without considering the disease.

"The idea of a person dying at a given hour is made ridiculous by the fact that one physician might be able to prolong a patient's dissolution several days by a treatment unknown to another physician, who, perhaps, might hasten death. Even if sick people were allowed to go without medical treatment, the physical and other conditions which I have named would still exist and have their influence upon the time of expiration and refute all theories as to a set hour for dying."

At the Presbyterian and Pennsylvania hospitals the doctors to whom the same questions were propounded could not see how there could be any basis for the idea, advancing the same arguments practically as given by Dr. Wells.

Dr. Pere, an eminent French specialist, some twenty years ago became imbued with the idea that the varying atmospheric conditions that existed

Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, - - - MAY 10, 1889.

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY ELECTIONS.

In pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Democratic County Committee at its meeting on June 4th 1888, the Democratic voters of Cambria county will meet at their respective places of holding elections on

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and vote by ballot for the nomination of candidates for county offices as follows:

One Person for Prothonotary.
" " " Register and Recorder.
" " " District Attorney.
" " " Poor House Director.
" " " Coroner.
" " " County Surveyor.

Tickets and the necessary papers for conducting the election will be furnished to each committeeman. The committeemen will take the returns of the electihn to Ebensburg on Monday June 3rd, where a meeting of the committeemen will be held at 1 o'clock P. M. of that day, when the votes will be counted and the names of the successful candidates will be announced.

The committeeman and members of the Board in each district shall be particular in being sworn in and in signing their respective oaths and returns.

Also the committeemen elected at the primaries for the ensuing year are requested to meet at Ebensburg on Monday, June 3rd, 1889, at 4 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing a chairman and transacting such other business as may be necessary.

JAMES M. WALTERS,
Chairman.

Johnstown, Pa., May 6th, 1889.

The following are the rules for the government of the Democratic primary elections in this county:

SECTION 1. The time of opening and closing the polls in townships and boroughs shall be as follows: The polls shall be opened at 1 o'clock P. M., and closed at 7 o'clock P. M.

SEC. 2. The Committeemen of the respective townships and boroughs shall be the Judges of the Primary Elections, and shall appoint two Inspectors who shall serve as Clerks and who shall be members of the Democratic party.

SEC. 3. Formal papers shall be sent to the Committeemen by the Chairman, and each Committeeman shall make triplicate returns, signed by the Judge and attested by the Inspectors or Clerks. One of said returns shall be posted up in a conspicuous place at the place of holding the election immediately after the returns are made out, with a list of names of parties voting at said Primary Elections; also, one of said returns to remain in the hands of the County Committeeman of each district, and one copy of said returns, with a list of voters, to be sealed up and returned by the Return Judge to the Chairman of the County Committee. The tickets to be sealed up and kept by the Committeeman for thirty days.

SEC. 4. Parties shall only be allowed to vote at the place of holding the General Election in the district where they actually reside, and none shall vote except those that voted the Democratic ticket at the preceding General Election, except those who have arrived at the age of twenty-one years since the last General Election and declare themselves Democrats.

SEC. 5. The Committeemen shall be elected by ballot on the day of the Primary Election.

SEC. 6. The newly elected Committee shall elect their Chairman by ballot at their first regular meeting.

SEC. 7. The Chairman shall remain in office until his successor is elected.

SEC. 8. The Chairman shall call a meeting of the newly elected Committee within thirty-five days from the date of Primary Election.

SEC. 9. The newly elected Chairman shall nominate his Secretary.

SEC. 10. Any contested nomination shall be tried before the County Committee after formal, specific charges, as in contested cases at law. No case of contest shall be entertained unless specific charges are preferred and placed in the hands of the Chairman of the County Committee within thirty days after the election, and notice thereof shall be given to the candidate contested within five days.

A RUSSIAN engineer who was sent to Central Asia to investigate, reports oil wells there containing at least 9,000,000 pounds of pure oil.

SIR JULIAN PAUNCEFOTE, the new British minister was formally presented to President Harrison, by Secretary Blaine, on Friday last at the White House.

PIG IRON was quoted on Tuesday at $17.00 per ton the lowest price ever reached with the exception of a few days in 1878, when it was quoted at $16,50.

CHARLES W. STONE, Secretary of the Commonwealth, gives it as his opinion that the special election on June 18th, 1889, should be held by the officers elected in February last to conduct the elections for one year.

IT is said that Mr. Eiffel, the projector and builder of the celebrated Eiffel tower, at Paris, is negotiating for the erection of a similar structure, 500 feet higher than his Paris tower, for a light-house in New York harbor.

GOVERNOR BEAVER on Saturday approved Senator Newmyer's bill requiring municipal liens to be renewed every five years. Regarding it the Governor said that the Attorney-General was of the opinion that it applied only to liens which may hereafter be filed.

THE steamer City of Paris, of the Inman line, which arrived at Sandy Hook at 11.15 o'clock on Wednesday, has broken all records from Queenstown. Her corrected time is five days, 23 hours and 7 minutes. The best previous record, which was made by the Etruria, was 6 days, 1 hour and 50 minutes.

THE cyclone has commenced its seasons deadly work in Kansas. In Stafford and Rice counties a heavy wind storm prevailed for several days and on Wednesday the cyclone caused great damage to buildings besides leaving in its trail a number of human victims to its fury. At Sioux Falls, on Monday a freight car was blown from a siding on to the main track when a freight train running at full speed struck the car, and the entire train and locomotive were wrecked. At Hutchinson several people were killed, and about thirty more or less injured.

IT is said says the Bellefonte *Watchman* that Senator Cameron has expressed the belief that it will not be long before Quay and President Harrison will be out with each other and the great boodle chieftain will be fighting the President. This is not at all improbable. Appearances of bad feeling on the part of Quay already exist, and there are indications that Harrison is disposed to continue a course that will make the breach wider.

The President is evidently sensitive about the means employed to elect him and winces under the reflection which those means cast upon his administration as having come into power through corrupt methods. It will not place him in a favorable light in history to be handed down as a President who owed his election to the purchasing power of a corruption fund. His sensitiveness on this subject inclines him to shake off Quay who is the representative of all that was corrupt in the campaign in which he was elected. The same feeling has induced him to entirely ignore Dudley.

It is natural that these men should resent such treatment. They can justly ask why a President who did not hesitate to accept an office gained in such a disreputable way should ignore and discard the agents who applied the means that elevated him to his high position. They have reason to regard Mr. Harrison as being more sensitive than grateful.

MR. CLEVELAND, says the New York *Times*, has played a very modest part in the ceremonies of the certenial, and has assumed it with entire modesty, but he cannot but feel that there is a strong feeling of affectionate admiration for him in the hearts of the people. The cheers that have greeted him whenever he has been called to appear have been cordial and spontaneous, and at the banquet last Tuesday evening which was one of the features of the centennial ceremonies, the enthusiasm that broke forth when he arose was more general and emphatic than that which greeted any other of the eminent men present. His speech in response to the toast, "Our people," was marked by his characteristic sobriety and elevation of thought, and was a manly expression of his profound confidence in popular government. If his reception has been inevitably compared with that given to the actual President, we do not see that the people are to blame, or Mr. Cleveland either.

THE Pittsburg *Gazette* says: What will not some men endure for a government office? For the superintendency of the proposed camp of refuge at Point Barrow, on the Alaskan coast, there are 15 applicants to date. Now Point Barrow is the northermost point of the United States' possession. In Summer the sun never sets there, and in Winter it never rises. With the exception of a month or two it is the fiercest kind of Winter the year round. During this Winter of ten months the Government Superintendent will have no communication with the civilized world and will have to put up with the society of the equalid native village of 100 or so people. Once a year a revenue cutter will call and pay him, and during the two months of Summer he can expect an occasional call from a whaling vessel. If President Harrison has a great grudge against any particular office seeker Point Barrow is the place to send him.

PIG IRON says the Philadelphia *Herald* has touched the lowest price recorded in this country since 1842, with the single exception of one quotation in November, 1878, before the famous and disastrous collapse of 1873—1879 had entirely spent its force.

Query: Does protection protect even the manufacturers, in whose interest it is supposed to be maintained? A thousand facts show that the war taxes cannot and do not maintain the rate of wages; it is also shown by facts such as the above that prices of protected products go up and down and all around without any regard for the taxes which have been at about their present rate for over twenty years. Where then does the "Protection" come in?

IF the following clipped from the Harrisburg Patriot of Monday is correct, it is time for the Legislature to adjourn, as it is understood it will do to-day.

Recently the governor told a member of the legislature that the House had appropriated for the two coming fiscal years $2,000,000 in excess of the revenue. In addition the Senate on Saturday inserted in the general appropriation bill an item of $72,000 for the National Guard. Something will have to be cut in consequence, and the charitable institutions may have to suffer.

THERE is considerable inquiry among constables as to the effect of the bill passed by the Legislature in February last extending the terms of constables from one to three years. The bill says the provision shall go into effect February next, it being the intention of its supporters to have gotten it through before February. An inquiry of several judges among them the Chester County Court, shows that the judicial opinion is that the Act must be construed strictly, and hence all constables elected last February were only elected for one year.—*West Chester Record.*

INSTEAD of better times, more work and better pay since the election of Harrison, every business seems to be on the decline, and accounts of lockouts, strikes and shutdowns are noticed in every paper. The last industry to close down is the Pennsylvania Legislature, but strange as it may seem tinkering with the blessed tariff is not blamed for the lockout.

JOHN N. SCOTT of Indianapolis, has been appointed Superintendent of Construction of the new Custom-House to be built at Port Townsend, W. T. His salary is $6 per day. The significance of this announcement is that Mr. Scott is a brother of Mrs. Benjamin Harrison. It will be noted that Benjamin Harrison is President of the United States.

As A Matter of Course.

It is announced that the committee of the Senate having in charge the Osbourn Devlin contested election case has concluded to report in favor of the seating of Osbourn. Why, certainly. In the language of the immortal Flanigan a majority of the committee ask themselves "what are we here for?" and they answer themselves, to turn out the Democratic sitting member and put the Republican contestant in his place.

The committee was created to seat Osbourn, and it is about to fulfill the purpose of its creation. Only this and nothing more. It is a rule of Republican legislatures in this State to decide contested election cases in favor of the Republicans. If the Senate committee were to break the record in the Osbourn-Devlin case it would be held up as an awful example of political depravity to the rising and hopeful politicians of the State.

The two Philadelphia contested election cases, the Finley-Nichols case in the house and the Osbourn-Devlin case in the Senate, will cost the State at least $50,000, but the two houses were obliged to correct the mistakes made by the people at the polls in electing Democrats in districts from which the Republicans expected to get their own candidates returned, and the correction had to be made no matter what the expense attending. Possibly there may be some compensation to the people in the fact that these contested elections have established the invalidity of the payment of the voting tax by the purchase of tax receipts in bulk, a practice which has been in vogue in Philadelphia for years and the lawfulness of which never was questioned until the Republican contestants in the cases referred to found it necessary to attack it. If the exclusion of votes cast by persons who had been furnished tax receipts procured in bulk by the committees of the two Houses in these contested cases shall have the effect of demonstrating to the people of the State the iniquitous character of the tax qualification of the voter some good may result from these unnecessary and expensive contests.

The moral effect upon the politics of the State which may be produced by the arbitrary and partisan courses of the Republican majority in the election committee of the two Houses of the legislature will not, however, atone for the wrong done to the honestly elected representative and Senator who lose their seats, or justify the outrage upon popular suffrage perpetrated in the willful and wanton reversal of the expressed will of the people. The only redress left to the voters of the districts who have thus been cheated out of their chosen representatives in the legislature, is to return the ousted Senator and member at the first opportunity at the ballot-box by majorities which cannot be overturned by committees on contested seats.—*Harrisburg Patriot.*

Wealth Not Plutocracy.

The mere fact of a large accumulation of wealth in a country is not proof of its danger to social order or to Republican institutions.

There is no prejudice in this country against riches honorably acquired and rightly employed. On the contrary, pretty nearly every body is after them or would be glad to possess them. An ambition to "get on in the world" and to secure financial independence is most creditable, and is at the bottom of our nation's wondful material progress.

Even the sharp practices by which great fortunes are often secured—and many of them are tainted in their origin or progress—are overlooked in the present negatively unobjectively or positively beneficient use to which they are devoted. It is recognized that large sums of money in single or in few hands are needed to the prosecution of great enterprises.

No, there is no hostility worth mentioning in this country to wealth per se, honorably won or rightly inherited and employed in a proper public spirit.

It is when money goes into the arena of politics and seeks control of the Government that it becomes obnoxious and dangeroas. When money secures its possessor a high office by corrupting the suffrage or debauching public servants it is a cause of injustice and a source of danger. When the money of a great corporation, a debtor to the Government for a large amount, is employed in maintaining a lobby at Washington to "look after the legislative, the judicial and the executive departments," as Mr. Huntington cooly admitted that the Central Pacific money was used, it is a public enemy.

There is no difficulty in drawing the line. The Money Power makes itself a plutocracy when it invades the domain of politics and government and substitutes the selfish interest of the few for the will and the welfare of the many. It is the beginning of this encroachment that the people are called upon to resist. The possessors of large wealth should be content with their opportunities for accumulation and enjoyment in this highly favored land. They should be glad to be let alone. When they intrench upon the rights of the people they should hear and heed the sharp admonition. "Hands off!"—*N. Y. World.*

The Wealthy Miss Drexel.

Miss Kate Drexel, second daughter of the late Francis A. Drexell, of Philadelphia, who left $6,000,000 to each of his three daughters, has practically renounced the world. The young lady on Tuesday entered as a postulate, or earnest seeker of the order of the Sisters of Mercy, in the mother house of the order at Pittsburg. This is not exactly equivalent to entering the order, but those who know Miss Drexel know that this act amounts to a complete renunciation of her family, of her surviving sisters and dear friends and great wealth.

Miss Drexel has meditated this step for some time, though the fact has been kept very quiet. She is well known as the most attractive of the three sisters. The youngest sister, now Mrs. E. De Morrell, who was married a few months ago, and her unmarried sister, Miss Lizzie Drexel, sailed from New York on Tuesday for Europe with their uncle.

Miss Drexel attended Mass at St. John's Roman Catholic Church in Philadelphia Monday morning and, after finishing her devotions, she was driven to the depot, where she took the train for Pittsburg.

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Annexation of Mexico.

During the Mexican war, resulting in the acquisition of Texas, New Mexico, California, Nevada and Utah, and for a number of years afterward, the general coviction was that the "manifest destiny" of the United States tended with irresistible force to the southward, and would not be stayed until we absorbed all of Mexico and Central America. In this line we acquired Arizona in 1854. We have grown wiser with increase of years, and there is a well-nigh universal sentiment that further acquisitions of territory in that direction are not desirable. The mongrel people, Spanish, Indian and negro, who inhabit the countries south of us are not wanted as American citizens. The African supplies all the varieties needed, and something more.

The Mexican minister, Mr. Romero, in an article in the *North American Review*, discusses Mexican annexation with great good sense. He thinks no party in the United States desires the conquest of Mexico; and he adds that few of our citizens would favor annexation, even if asked for by Mexico, should they fully weigh the serious consequences that would result from such a step. Some of these consequences Mr. Romero states. In the first place the United States already has as much territory as any other free country ever had, and embraces many conflicting interests that are hard enough to reconcile under existing circumstances. The difficulty of this would be enormously increased by the addition of twelve millions of people, of a different race, speaking a different language, with different ideas and habits, and two-thirds of them pure-blooded Indians, docile and law-abiding, but ignorant. Moreover, the acquisition of Mexico would gives us fifty-six new senators and seventy-nine representatives, on the present basis, with a corresponding increase of the electoral vote. The new element would hold the balance of power between existing parties, and thus exercise a controlling influence over the destinies of the country.

These are ample reasons, but Mr. Romero also points out annexation would revolutionize our labor system, by giving us at least three million of able-bodied Mexican laborers, whose wages now range from 12½ to 50 cents per day, and who would invade the North and West for the purpose of bettering their condition. This, he argues, would be worse for the working people of the United States than an invasion of "Chinese cheap labor." Mr. Romeo thinks that, for the present, reciprocity is all that is needed to promote the commercial interests of both countries. Commercial union may come in time, but a great many difficulties stand in the way and must first be overcome.—*Pittsburg Post*

Trampling out the Sectional Line.

The evidences that the emigration of farmers from the Northern and Western States has begun in earnest are too numerous to be overlooked. A considerable number of new settlers have recently found homes in Alabama: Texas is filling up rapidly; North Carolina is preparing for the coming of a host from Illinois, and the Commissioner of Agriculture for Virginia is authority for the statement that more than a thousand strangers from other States have bought farms in Virginia this year.

It is not necessary to discuss the importance of this movement, which is fully understood in every part of the South. The greatest need of the Southern States is that which is being supplied in this way—the need of intelligent, industrious workers to utilize and develop the varied resources which have lain neglected so long, and to strengthen the white population politically, so as to relieve the whole South from continued annoyance on the part of unfriendly statesmen in other sections.

It should be borne in mind steadfastly, however, that the hope of improvement, in so many particulars, which is now so nearly realized, comes at the close of four years of Democratic administration of the General Government. There was no immigration of consequence into the Southern States until after the election of President Cleveland. The Republican party checked and prevented the development of the South for twenty years, by its blunders and crimes in dealing with the Southern people. President Harrison will do well to consider the plain record of his party's achievements on this line, and to avoid the mistakes of his predecessors as far as he can. The feet of the Southward bound imigrants are fast obliterating Mason and Dixon's line. It would be a crime against the Union to retrace it again, even in part. —*Charleston (S. C.) Courier.*

Paying the Piper.

Is it not quite plain from the reports whether that little bill of $5,000 for the solids and liquids consumed by the legislators during their New York picnic is to be paid by the State or out of the Legislators' private and individual treasuries. In the latter case, we would commiserate our lawmakers. In the former, the tax paying public would only have another item added to the expenses of a Legislature which has already cost more than it comes to. From the recalcitration in which the lawmakers indulge, however, we conclude that they have got to pay it themselves. So much kicking over a bill which the taxpayers have got to foot would be entirely out of harmony with the legislative precedents.

On that view we present our sincere condolence to our statesmen. A bill of $16 66 each for six meals, or an average of $2 75 per meal, is too rich for the legislative blood. Our Solons find themselves in the embarrassing position of the man who with a slender purse and a more than correspondingly large appetite ate everything in sight at a railroad restaurant under the impression that the charge was 50 cents for a full meal, only to be confronted with a bill of $5,25 after his hunger was stayed. Roti, fromage de Brie, clam soup and ice cream are all very well, but to be expected to pay nearly $3 each for the semi-diurnal meals is likely to take the profits off a session of doing nothing at $10 per diem. Champagne is an undoubted refreshment, but when the bill is brought in for it the lawmaking mind is bowed down by thinking of the amount of beer that could have been bought for the same money.

No wonder that the legislators support Governor Beaver's vetoes of appropriations, with this practical evidence before them that reform and retrenchment are necessary.—*Pittsburg Dispatch.*

The Soldier Talk Was for Buncombe.

The mails do not keep pace with the bloody desires of Corporal Tanner. A few days ago he removed T. A. Stockslager, Pension Examiner of Utica, N. Y., by telegraph. Mr. Stockslager is a disabled soldier who was appointed from Kansas. His left arm is useless from wounds. He has a wife and child to support. What does the bloody Corporal care for that? Just as much as Colonel Weber cares for the disabled Republican soldier of his own regiment whom he has robbed of the Akron Postoffice. The soldier talk is mostly for buncombe. When a Republican politician has a point to carry he is as willing to sacrifice a soldier as a civilian. —*Buffalo Courier.*

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—The volcano of Vesuvius is in an alarming state of eruption. Stream of lava are coursing down the mountain on the Pompeii side.

—James Reinhart, aged eighteen, of Philadelphia, has eloped with his sweetheart's mother, Mrs. Umit S. Robbins. The girl is disconsolate and Mr. Robbins swallowed an ounce of laudanum, but was saved.

—Mrs. Ketchum, wife of the proprietor of the Park Central, Hotel, at Hartfort, was so frightened at the time of the collapse of the building that she lost her voice. Last Saturday she suddenly met an old friend. Her effort to speak was successful and now she con talk as well as ever.

—At Mountain Home, near Tobyhanna, Pa., on last Friday morning Jeffrey Harrison and Sophia Everitt, each about eleven years of age, got angry while playing together at the home of the former. Sophia ran into a room, locking the door. Jeffrey got his fathe's shot-gun, and bursting open the door, fired at Sophia, killing her almost instantly.

—A tramp entered the house of a man named Kirknan, at Cloverhill, Miss, the other day, and with a drawn pistol demanded his money. The negro went to his trunk, apparently to get the money, but got a pistol and fired at the tramp, who shot at the same time. The tramp fell dead, and the negro walked out the door and fell dead on the steps.

—The State Institute for the Feeble-Minded outside the city limits of Frankport, Ky., caught fire last Friday morning and was burned to the ground. There were in the building at the time the fire broke out 160 feeble-minded children and some fifteen or twenty assistants, besides the family of the superintendent, all of whom escaped. The loss to the State of Kentucky is $150,000, with an insurance of $35,000.

—While James Donevan, a dyer, was cleaning clothes with benzine at Akron, O., last Friday an explosion took place, covering him with flames and setting fire to his store, which was in a row of frame buildings down town. Donevan's arms and chest are burned black, his hair is singed off and his scelp is one blister. His condition is very serious. Four buildings were gutted by the fire, including a sewing machine, furniture and music stores. Loss, $6,000; insurance, $3,000.

—An old negro by the name of Lindsey, who was separated from his family during slavery times, has been traveling over the country for 23 years searching for them. A few years ago he met his son Allen at Paris, Tex., and an affecting reunion resulted. Through Allen he found Jim, a porter on the Missouri and Texas railway. He then set out on foot to see his daughter Amanda, who is living at Denison. He is now spending a few days with her. The old man says he will devote the rest of his life to finding his wife.

—A ghastly accident was witnessed in on one of the principal streets of Indianapolis last Friday when a team attached to a wagon loaded with coffins containing corpses that were being transferred from an old cemetery to a new one became frightened and ran away. While dashing down the street at breakneck speed the wagon-tongue dropped and ploughed into the ground. The wagon was upset and its impetus carried it forward, landing it upon the backs of the horses. Coffins were scattered along the street. One burst wide open, and the skull of a skeleton rolled on the ground, while bones were thrown about promiscuously.

—Mrs. Augustus Gebringer, of Grimsville, Pa., a few days ago felt a tickling sensation in her throat, followed by a sickening, suffocating sensation. The woman was almost strangled, and fell into a dead faint. Upon recovering consciousness she wrapped her apron around her thumb and forefinger, and forcing these members into her throat, felt something moving, which she quickly grasped and pulled out. To her horror it proved to be a living snake nine inches in length. She again swooned. It is believed she swallowed the reptile while it was very small in drinking a cup of water from the well.

Whiskey Kills.

How often are we yet to be told that whiskey kills? Arsenic kill; opium kills, and so do hundreds of other good remedies kill if *abused* instead of used. But ask the question, "Will whiskey cure?" "Yes!" is the positive reply of the most eminent physicians of all the land. Disease steals into your system like a sneak thief into your house, and often by neglecting a bad cold, we end our days in lingering, and wishing for health—when, indeed, one bottle of *Pure Whiskey* or *Brandy* would have cured the cold. Such goods may be scarce, but they *can be* found at Max Kleins, 82 Federal street, Allegheny. His "Silver Age" is the only whisky endorsed by the doctors. You can get the pure Guckenheimer, Finch or Gibson Rye at $1.00 per quart or six quarts for $5.00 Send for price list.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

This is beyond question the most successful Cough Medicine we have ever sold, a few doses invariably cure the worse cases of Cough, Croup, and Bronchitis, while its wonderful success in the cure of Consumption is without parallel in the history of medicine. Since its first discovery it has been sold on a guarantee, a test which no other medicine can stand. If you have a Cough we earnestly ask you to try it Price 10 cents, 50 cents, and $1.00. If your Lungs are sore, Chest or Back lame, us. Shiloh's Porous Plasters. Soldby Dr. T. J. Davison.

My Boy

(Three years old), was recently taken with cold in the head. It seemed finally to settle in his nose, which was stopped up for days and nights so that it was difficult for him to breathe and sleep. I called a physician, who prescribed, but did him no good. Finally I went to the drug store and got a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm. It seemed to work like magic. The boy's nose was clear in two days, and he has been all right ever since.—E. J. Hazzard, New York.

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Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, a marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious Nasal Injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cents. Sold by Dr. T. J. Davison.

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Ebensburg, March 22, 1889.-3t.

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The farmer and working man who have been out in the mud all day can wash their boots clean before entering the house. They will be Soft, Polished and Dry, if dressed with

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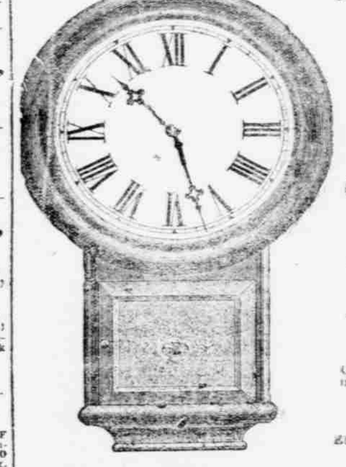

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For 1 Dollar You Can Get the Following:

Two spools of Silk Twist, (any color) 2 spools Best Thread, 1 Handkerchief, 3 Penholders, 2 Pens, 2 Lead Pencils, 1 bunch Hair Pins, 6 sticks of Chalk, 6 Slate Pencils, 3 Lamp Wicks, 2 Shoe Laces, 12 rolls of Pins, 12 sheets Writing Paper, 12 Envelopes, 1 Safety Pin, 1 Pen Knife, 1 Jack Knife, 1 Shoe Blacking, 1 Pie Plate, 1 Pepper Box, 1 Nutmeg Grater and Box, 1 Tin Cup, 1 cake of best Castile Soap, 1 Mouse Trap, 1 Pen Knife, 1 Comb Case, 1 Elue or Redding Comb, 1 Pudding Pan, 1 large Tin Pan per or Tin Cup, 1 Curry Comb, 1 Hammer, 1 Potato Masher, 1 Fine Crochet Needle, and a good Cigars. All this you get for One Dollar, and you have the privilege to sort out any separate article at its own separate value. Also just arrived 2000 MEN'S AND LADIES' COLLARS AT 5 CENTS EACH. Ruffles, 5c., Embroideries from 5c. up. You can get the very latest Spring Style Trimmed Hats for 75 cents, selling other places for $3. Men's Heavy Buck Overhals for 58 cents, worth 80 cents. A nice Album for 45 cents. A full line of Dress Goods, Laces, Dry Goods, Toweling, Hats Ball, Shirt Bosoms, Rubber Collar and Cuffs, any color, all for 25 cents. No trouble to show goods. Call early and avoid the rush in the evening.

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EBENSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, - - - MAY 10, 1889.

NOTICE.—Persons wanting Extra Copies of this Paper should leave their Orders with us at least one week in advance of publication day.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

—Warm weather.

—Where's your duster?

—Straw hats are in bloom.

—Harpoon hay forks cheap at Duffons.'

—The next religious holiday is Ascension Day.

—One spring tooth harrow for sale at Duffons.'

—A four quart ice cream freezer for $1.50 at Duffons'.

—B. F. Pitts has been appointed postmaster at Grant.

—O'Hara's livery stable has been treated to a coat of paint.

—Mr. T. S. Williams, of Carrolltown, was in town on Monday.

—Ex-Sheriff Griffith's residence on High street is being painted.

—Ex-Sheriff Ryan, of Johnstown, was in Ebensburg on Monday.

—The Cornet Band serenaded Dr. Griffith on Friday evening of last week.

—Mr. L. D. Woodruff, of the Johnstown *Democrat*, was in town on Monday.

—Ex-Sheriff Blair, and son Harry, were in Johnstown on Friday of last week.

—For doors, sash, mouldings, etc., go to C. A. & S. H. Buck at Carrolltown or Hastings.

—The storeroom of Miss Mary E. Davis, on High street, has received a new coat of paint.

—Mr. Caleb A. Gray, of Hastings, was in town last Friday and paid the FREEMAN a brief visit.

—If you want job work printed in good style and it to this office. Prices the most reasonable.

—A new pavement has been laid in front of the residence of Miss Maggie Rhey, on Centre street.

—The law fixing the compensation of township supervisors at $2 per day has been passed finally.

—Our readers are requested to read carefully the new ad of Mr. D. H. C. Warren in another column.

—Mr. C. Pierson, of Dysart, was in town on Monday and before leaving subscribed for the FREEMAN.

—A large number of people were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. H. A. McPike on Monday.

—Attention is called to the new advertisement of Wm. Murray & Son, of Altoona, in another column.

—For patent brace bottom cane seat chairs go to C. A. & S. H. Buck at Carrolltown or Hastings.

—There are sixty-one cases on the criminal list in Westmoreland county for the term beginning May 13th.

—Mrs. Mary Jane Davis, of Johnstown, is visiting Mr. R. L. Davis, of this place, during the present week.

—The Sisters of St. Joseph, this place, have placed a fine new fence in front of their property on Horner street.

—For fine bed room suites, parlor suites and kitchen furniture go to C. A. & S. H. Buck at Carrolltown or Hastings.

—Mr. Worth Blair and wife, of Altoona, were in town on Monday in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. H. A. McPike.

—The Grand Army Fest, of this place held two entertainments on Monday and Tuesday of this week, to good houses.

—For lounges, center tables, bed springs, mattresses, feather pillows, etc., go to C. A. & S. H. Buck at Carrolltown or Hastings.

—Miss Mary Shoemaker, who has been visiting in Cumberland, Md., for some time past, returned home on Thursday of last week.

—The expenses of the Board of Poor House Directors for the month of April were $994.79, of which amount $426 went to the out-door poor.

—WANTED, at McDonald's Loretto and Cresson stores, 3000 pounds clean, dry wool, for which the highest market price will be allowed in cash or trade.

—By a cave-in at one of the mines operated by James Rounsley, near Millerstown, Perry county, one of the employes and a mule were shut in for several hours.

—A good plasterer is wanted by Mr. Morgan Hughes, of this place, to either work by the day or will be taken into partnership. None but a sober industrious man need apply.

—An effort is being made to enlarge the boundries of Blairsville borough. The amount of territory now in the corporation is small and the population only shows up about 1100.

—Rupture cure guaranteed by Dr. J. B. Mayer, 831 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. Ease at once, no operation or delay from business, attested by thousands of cures after others fail.

—The Saxton Furnace, of Huntingdon county, closed down for an indefinite period last Saturday, throwing out of employment about 250 men. Dull iron market is assigned for the cause.

—It is now certainly known that the 52d Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, will encamp at Bedford this summer. The encampment will be held in July or August.

—The young ladies of our town received quite a nice serenade on Wednesday night. The music was furnished by a band of traveling musicians under the management of Ebensburg's "400."

—The largest natural gas well ever known was struck Monday by a Philadelphia company near Bellvernon. It is running off forty million feet a day the pressure being 300 pounds to the inch.

—Mr. J. B. Denny, of this place, started on Monday last on a Western tour. He will visit Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Minnesota before he returns and expects to be absent for several weeks.

—Mrs. Miriam Hughes, wife of Mr. Thomas J. Hughes, of Munster township, died on Thursday of last week, and her remains were interred in Lloyd's cemetery, this place, on Saturday last.

—If the people only knew how much better they would sleep by going out of doors just before retiring, and taking five or six or a dozen deep breaths, they would no more omit it than they would their supper.

—Z. T. Harnish, of Morris township Huntingdon county, has a colt, not yet 3 years old, that has twice trotted 600 yards, in forty-five seconds. This is at the rate of a mile in 1½ minutes. The colt has had no training.

—Now that house cleaning time is here it might be well to know that a strip of thick paper laid over the edge of each step, under the carpet, will preserve a stair carpet from wearing through one-third longer than otherwise.

—Steel nails $1.90 per keg at Duffons.'

—A one-horse spring wagon for sale at Duffons.'

—For I. X. L. extension tables go to C. A. & S. H. Buck at Carrolltown or Hastings.

—Mrs. Henry Byrne and daughter, Miss Ella, who were visiting relatives and friends in Pittsburg last week, returned home on Saturday last.

—Mr. Joseph Farabaugh has closed his photograph gallery in Carrolltown and has opened out at Loretto. This is a rare chance for people of that vicinity. Call and see him at once as he will remain only a very short time.

—The little daughter of Robert Plouse, of Cherrytree, Indiana county, fell from a chair last Monday evening and fractured the bones of the fore-arm. The injured member was properly attended to and the child is doing well.

—A five-year-old son of Mr. George McGuire, of Allegheny township, was found dead in bed on Saturday morning. The boy had went to bed the evening before in good health. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of death.

—The Juniata Valley Editorial Association met in Altoona last week and, among other business transacted, fixed upon Washington City as the objective point for the next excursion, which will take place the first week in September.

—Waukesha is the name of a new post-office at the mouth of North Camp run, on Chest Creek, about midway between La Jose and Westover, on the line of the Cambria and Clearfield railroad. The locality has long been known as Five Points.

—The Normal School here, under the charge of Prof. Carroll, is making good progress. Two new students were enrolled on Monday, making now about 50 in all. The school has been increasing rapidly ever since it opened and all seem to be satisfied.

—McDonald, the well-known merchant of Loretto, is now ready for business at "Slattery's Crossing," about one-third of a mile east of Cresson. Call and see him. He guarantees prices as low as Johnstown, Altoona or elsewhere for spot cash or produce.

—WE have a speedy and positive Cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth, and Headache, in Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. A Nasal Injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by Dr. T. J. Davison.

—Mr. James Hill, of Brushvalley township, was lodged in jail last week charged, on oath of M. J. Altimus, with selling cider. On Thursday a writ of habeas corpus was taken out and at a hearing he was released on bail for his appearance at the June court. —*Indiana Democrat.*

—A grand picnic, to which every one is invited and to all who attend is promised a day of delightful enjoyment, is to be held in Ashville on the 15th and 16th inst. The proceeds are for the benefit of the new Catholic church at that place and it deserves to be liberally patronized.

—The new bridges to be built at Frugality, Hastings and O'Hara's were let on Monday last by the County Commissioners, and the contract for the iron work of the same was awarded to the Variety Iron company of Cleveland, Ohio, for $3,200. The contract for the stone work has not yet been awarded.

—The card of Raphael Hite, of Carroll township, appears among the announcements this week as a candidate for Poor House Director. Mr. Hite is a worthy Democrat who has the ability to discharge the duties of the office and if nominated and elected the interests of the poor will be carefully looked after.

—Mrs. Catharine Harkins, of Hollidaysburg, was so badly burned by her clothing catching fire, caused by the upsetting of a lamp in her house, on Tuesday night, that she died on Wednesday morning. Her husband, J. B. Harkins was also badly burned in attempting to extinguish the flames and is in a critical condition.

—While Jacob R. Zook, of Union township, Mifflin county, was plowing lately his lead mule began to disappear beneath the furrow, but by a desperate struggle managed to gain firm ground. Investigation revealed a cave twenty feet in depth, and a stone thrown into the chasm indicated a nearer approach to the Flowery Kingdom.

—The name of Geo. C. Miller of Conemaugh borough appears among the political announcements this week as a candidate for Prothonotary. Mr. Miller is a well and favorably known Democrat who has always been a party worker and deserves well of the party. He has had a number of years experience as a book-keeper and clerk and if nominated and elected has the ability to make a competent official.

—If any of our readers are in need of artistic and substantial cemetery work, made from the best qualities of marble and granite, they will do well to call on J. Wilkinson & Son, marble and granite dealers in this place, where they will find a nice stock to select from, or send them word and they will visit you with a large selection of new and original designs, they guarantee all their work and if their work is not as represented they will not ask you to take it, they are prepared to fill all orders at home and abroad at prices that defy competition. Give them a trial. A 3 6m.

—At a Hungarian christening at Vulcan colliery, this county, Sunday last, Josepeh Teeser, a Hungarian, was shot and killed by either "Baldy" or Joseph Ramyak, as they are both charged with the crime. Teeser's body was found Monday morning near the shanty with a bullet hole through the lungs and through the heart. A general fight took place after the christening and aside from the killing of Teeser several others were badly cut up. The accused ones are still at large though the officers are on their track and they will likely be caught before long. Seven Hungarians were lodged in jail here Monday evening, and it is likely the guilty party or parties can be picked out of this gang.—*Clearfield Republican.*

—Since the day that Chal. L. Dick, Esq., of this city, defeated Dr. J. M. Thornton, of Altoona in a hotly contested shooting match, the Altoona men have been anxious for another chance. The Johnstown men were perfectly willing to give them another contest and accordingly Mr. J. M. Dodson went over to Altoona on Monday and made arrangements for another match between the two champions. The match will take place next Saturday in Altoona. There will be a contest in the morning and one in the afternoon, the stakes being $100 a side for each contest. Hurlingham rules will govern and each contestant will shoot at twenty-five live pigeons in both morning and afternoon matches.—*Johnstown Democrat.*

—On Tuesday last Mrs. McDowell, widow of Col. Thomas C. McDowell, died at her home in Harrisburg, aged seventy-seven years. Mrs. McDowell was prostrated by a stroke of appoplexy the day previous, and owing to her advanced age it resulted in her death. Mrs. McDowell was a resident of Ebensburg from 1840 to 1845 when her husband was appointed Counsul to St. Catharines, in the Brazillian Empire, by President Polk. During their residence in this place Mr. McDowell was a prominent Democrat and for a time was prosecuting attorney for this county, the office being then filled by appointment from the Attorney General. During their residence in Ebensburg the family occupied the property now belonging to Mrs. Dr. Lemmon.

Items from Carrolltown.

CARROLLTOWN, PA., May 8th, 1889.

DEAR FREEMAN:—Since my last we have been experiencing the finest of weather.

Nature is putting on its spring suit a coat of many colors as it were and smilingly embraces the soft, balmy air and bright sunshine with rapturous glee, the warbling songsters enliven the air with their incessant melody from early dawn until evening twilight.

We are all very busy these last few days preparing the soil for future reference with hoe, rake and weeding fork.

The fruit crop notwithstanding the hard frost of one week ago promises fair.

Mr. B. Wirtner, our street commissioner, is busily engaged in repairing the streets.

Mr. Fred Eger has his fine new house raised and the roof ready for the tinner

W. C. Schroth has his building on the home stretch, it will be one of the finest buildings in town.

Mr. Harbridge, our jeweler, has his house well under way and will be able to occupy it in a couple of weeks.

J. W. Sharbaugh & Son have under the management of Philip Dietrick, the material man, erected a turbine water wheel at their livery and sale stables which will furnish water for needed purposes. Mr. Dietrick has several more contracts for wheels. The water wheel is a convenient piece of machinery, and before long we will see our country dotted with them.

Ex-Sheriff Gray has his new building ready for the roof.

Mr. Melchoir Boslet, an old and respected citizen, died on last Saturday, his remains were interred in St. Benedict's cemetery on last Monday, and was followed to the grave by a large number of relatives and friends.

J. J. Hauk & Bro. have broke ground for a large building on Main street, it is designed for a store room and dwelling house.

Mr. B. A. Zoiner, of whom we made mention last week, has no Mrs. or no partner. He is running the business entirely himself. Your correspondent was misinformed as to the company. Blaze is a first-class young man and will keep a first-class store. He has his rooms above Sharbaugh's mammoth store just crowded with all kinds of furniture, paints, oils, etc.

Potatoes are selling for twenty-five cents per bushel, so the next time old Joe wants a feed *Time* knows what he prefers, cheaper than oats.

The martins have put in an appearance and the sparrows are getting scarce.

The candidates are on the wing interviewing their dear friends.

Jas. M. Walters, chairman of the Democratic County Committee, was in town on Tuesday last. Jim is also a candidate for District Attorney, he has many friends in this part of the county, and deserves credit for his pertinacity in seeking for the office to which he aspires and should receive the support of the Democracy as a reward for his untiring zeal in the interests of the party.

Mr. Raphael Hite, one of our best citizens of Carroll township, is, we understand, a candidate for Poor Director. Mr. Hite will make a good officer if elected.

On Tuesday morning the matrimonial market was well attended. There being no less than three marriage ceremonies performed in St. Benedict's church on that morning. Mr. John Fisher, of Ashville, and Miss Mary Yahner, of Elder township; Mr. Miller, of Susquehanna township, and Miss Lottie Kirkpatrick, of Elder township; Mr.——Weakland, of Susquehanna township, and Miss Barbara Keiffer.

On last Friday the president of the Oil and Gas company of Altoona, Mr. O'Neil, and vice president, Mackey, J. H. Kelly, J. C. Vanderlin and Mr. Breeden, operator, were here and they accompanied by a numerous body of citizens located a well to be drilled for oil and gas on the farm of Mr. Charles Cain west of Carrolltown one mile, the anticlinal passes right there and the gentlemen feel confident that they can strike it at a depth of twenty-four hundred feet. The indications are good and Mr. Breeden says that he can put a well down three thousand feet without difficulty. There will be a meeting here on Thursday evening for the purpose of giving anyone an opportunity of taking stock if they wish. There will be no trouble in boring this well as the operator is an experienced one and has put down many wells to a great depth without difficulty. AMICUS.

OBITUARY.

MCPIKE.—Died at her home in Altoona on Friday, May 3d, 1889, Mrs. Annie W. McPike, wife of H. A. McPike, aged 47 years.

The deceased was born in County Galway, Ireland, March 1842, and was three months old when her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ward, of this place, who are both living, came to this country. Her parents resided for a number of years in Hollidaysburg, Pa., and afterwards moved to Summerhill township, near Wilmore, where, on the 1st of December, 1863, the deceased was united in marriage to her now bereaved husband, H. A. McPike, senior editor of the Altoona *Times*. After her marriage she resided in Altoona for a couple of years and then removed to Johnstown, when, in 1867, her husband purchased the material of the old *Democrat & Sentinel* and established the CAMBRIA FREEMAN, when they removed to Ebensburg, where they continued to reside for nearly eighteen years, up till May, 1884, when Mr. McPike sold the FREEMAN and removed to Altoona to establish the *Times*, of that city. During her long residence here, Mrs. McPike was known to everyone and was greatly esteemed for her many virtues and kind and cheerful disposition. She was a kind-hearted, Christian woman a good wife and an affectionate and loving mother, and we have every reason to believe that she is now in the enjoyment of a blessed immortality, earned by a pious and and well-spent life. She leaves to mourn her loss a bereaved husband and four children, the youngest about 6 years old and the oldest, Frank P., a resident of Pittsburg, who is about 23 years of age, besides her aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ward, of this place, and three brothers, Rev. John Ward, of Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, Aloysius and William J. Ward, and one sister, Mrs. P. A. Schwab, of Coatesville, Pa. On Monday morning her remains were taken St. John's Catholic Church, in Altoona, where a Solemn High Mass was said for the repose of her soul, after which they were taken to the cars and brought to this place, accompanied by a large number of relatives and friends. On arriving at the station here, a large number of people were in waiting, who joined the procession and followed the remains to the Church of the Holy Name, where another Solemn Requium High Mass was said, her brother, the Rev. John Ward, acting as celebrant. The remains were then taken to the Catholic cemetery and consigned to the family plot where five children who had proceeded her to the tomb, are laid to rest. May her soul rest in peace.

DURBIN.—Died at her home in Altoona on Tuesday, May 7th, 1889, Miss Sue Durbin, aged about 40 years. The remains of deceased were interred at St. Augustine on Thursday.

—ADAMS.—Died at the residence of his son-in-law J. A. Dumm, in Altoona on Tuesday, May 7th, 1889, Mr. Joseph Adams in the 80th year of his age.

The deceased was born in Sinking Valley on the 15th of September, 1800, came to this county about sixty years ago and has been a resident of the neighborhood of St. Augustine ever since. He leaves two sons Jesse and John Adams, and four daughters, Mrs. Annie Barnicle, of Altoona, Mrs. Stacy Delozier and Mrs. Mary Delozier, of Ebensburg the family occupied the property now belonging to Mrs. Dr. Lemmon.

—A son of John Detwiler, of Scottdale, Westmoreland county, a few days since, plowed up a copperhead, which he killed. A comrade named Santamyer gathered up the fragments, and going to the house of a miner named Layton, secretly dropped them in a barrel of vinegar beside the door. Another boy growing conscience stricken, went back and told Mrs. Layton, who was just about using some of the vinegar, thus averting a wholesale poisoning.

What It Costs.

The Democratic candidates met on Monday and paid their assessments to Chairman Walters for the purpose of defraying the expenses of holding the primary election.

For Prothonotary there are two candidates James C. Darby and George C. Miller, and the assessment for that office was divided between them making $115.25 each.

For Register and Recorder Celestine J. Blair is the only candidate and his assessment was fixed at $230.50.

The office of District Attorney was assessed at $75, and there being three candidates, James M. Walters, Donald E. Dufton and F. J. O'Connor, the amount paid by each was $25.

For Poor Director, Coroner and County Surveyor candidates will be assessed $5.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Wednesday, May 8th, 1889:

Daniel Shaffer and Marilla Grush, Somerset county.

Joseph Sherry and Mary E. Bechel, Barr township.

James J. Miller, Susquehanna township and Clara Jane Kirkpatrick, Elder township.

Emanuel Smith and Mollie Noon, Richland township.

John D. Fisher, Ashville and Mary A. Yahner, Carrolltown.

J. M. Burgoon, Hastings and Mary Thompson, Jefferson county.

Chas. B. Nester, Johnstown and Ida B. Bowman, Grubbtown.

Daniel Stewart, Millville and May Young, Johnstown.

Robert Colbert and Helen Sager, Delaney.

Henry C. Loebrick and Annie Odenback, Johnstown.

John Smith and Annie Damely, Cambria borough.

Benjamin Williams and Elmira Jones, Johnstown.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

The following accounts have been examined and passed by me and remain filed of record in this office for the inspection of heirs, legates and all others interested and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of Cambria county for confirmation and allowances on Wednesday, June 5th, 1889.

First and final account of Henry Krumenacker, trustee to sell real estate of Nicholas Heffy, dec'd.

First and final account of William Motter, administrator of Sarah F. Motter, late of Lower Yoder township, dec'd.

First and final account of J. D. Hicks, executor of the estate of Jos. W. Riley, late of Johnstown borough, dec'd.

Second and final account of MichaelMyers, administrator of Geo. M. Cree, dec'd.

First and final account of C. J. Schnable, administrator of Carl Schnable, dec'd.

First and final account of John O'Hara, administrator of Elizabeth O'Hara, late of Munster township, dec'd.

First and final account of Daniel Henry, administrator of the estate of Ellen Hawly, dec'd.

First account of Thomas M. Craver, administrator c. t. a. of John Campbell, late of Cheat township, dec'd.

Second and final account of P. Fisher, administrator of Hugh McGonigle, late of Prospect borough, dec'd.

Second and final account of O. M. Bennett and Jos. H. Bracken, administrators of the estate of T. F. Bracken, late of Johnstown borough, dec'd.

First account of Anthony Kohler, guardian of Mary Frantz, minor child of Frantz J. Frantz, dec'd.

First and final account of G. W. Halwin, administrator of the estate of Jane Halwin, late of Johnstown borough, dec'd.

First and partial account of R. Deveraux and John B. Eger, executors of Peter Dunn, dec'd.

First and final account of Dora Brown, (nee) Dora Betz executrix of the estate of Joseph Betz, late of Cambria borough, dec'd.

First account of Wm. Cole executor of Michael McGuire, late of Richland township, dec'd.

First and final account of C. J. Mayer, administrator c. t. a. of the estate of Elizabeth Knorr, dec'd.

First and final account of Chas. J. Mayer, administrator of the estate of Jno. Schetzger, dec'd.

First and final account of Wm. Custer, guardian of William Ream, of Adams township.

First and final account of Jno. H. Fisher, administrator of Owen O'Neil, late of Prospect borough, dec'd.

Second and final account of William Barnett, executor of Jno. last will and testament of Jno. M. Turner, late of Johnstown borough, dec'd.

First and final account of A. E. Humphreys, administrator c. t. a. of Morgan Humphreys, late of the borough of Johnstown, dec'd.

First and final account of E. A. Cooper, executor of James Cooper, late of Coopersdale borough, dec'd.

First and partial account of Ephram Findley, administrator of the estate of Abel Findley, late of West Taylor township, dec'd

CELESTINE J. BLAIR,
Ebensburg, May 10, 1889. Register.

Widows' Appraisement.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following named appraisements of property appraised and set apart for widows of decedents under the Act of Assembly of the 14th of April A. D. 1851, has been filed in the Registers office, in and for the County of Cambria, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court of said county for confirmation and allowances on Wednesday, the 5th day of June, A. D. 1889.

Inventory and appraisement of personal property set apart to Catharine Schroth, widow of John Schroth, late of the borough of Wilmore, dec'd.

Inventory and appraisement of personal property set apart to Anna M. Duncan, widow of Thos Duncan, late of Blacklick township, dec'd.

Inventory and appraisement of goods and chattels set apart to Frida Suppes, widow of Conrad Suppes, dec'd.

Inventory and appraisement of goods and chattels set apart to Hetty McCleester, widow of Isaac A. McCleester, late of Franklin borough, dec'd. CELESTINE J. BLAIR,
Ebensburg, May 10, 1889. Register.

TRIAL LIST.

JUNE TERM.

FIRST WEEK.

Abernathy ..... vs. Henn.
Stiles ..... vs. Bennett.
Smucker & Co. ..... vs. Leabey.

SECOND WEEK.

Clark ..... vs. Zimmerman.
Christy ..... vs. Greenwood.
Weaver ..... vs. Brenner.
Boring ..... vs. Boring.
Christy ..... vs. Mitchell.
Lloyd ..... vs. Rees et al.
Foden ..... vs. Marshall.
Horner ..... vs. Barnhart.
Couey ..... vs. McGlade.
Buck ..... vs. Christy.
James & Vinton ..... vs. Sparks & Evans.
Kinport ..... vs. Hasking.
McClarkey ..... vs. Gillespie.
James & Vinton ..... vs. Sparks & Evans.
Sawyer ..... vs. Thomas.
Chapin ..... vs. Cambria Iron Co.
Schoonover ..... vs. Dean.
Neary ..... vs. P. R. R. Co.
McDonnell & Saupp ..... vs. Wolf, Son & Thomas.
McLaughlin ..... vs. Rourke.
McIntyre ..... vs. McIntyre.
Mack ..... vs. Shank et. al.
Botts ..... vs. Ashville Bor.
Stickman ..... vs. Deffenbach.
Sinucker & Co. ..... vs. Notley & Harber.

H. A. SHOEMAKER,
Ebensburg, May 10, 1888. Proth'y.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the following accounts have been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county and will be confirmed by said Court on the first Monday of June next unless cause be shown to the contrary:

First and final account of James T. Myers, trustee to sell real estate in case of John Monahan vs. Lewis McDermit No. 127 December Term, 1888.

Second and final account of James F. Myers, assignee of Samuel Gill.

First and final account of Caleb A. Gray, assignee of C. C. McCombie.

First and final account of Joseph Miller, assignee of John C. Noel et ux.

H. A. SHOEMAKER, Proth'y.
Ebensburg, May 10, 1889.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—In the Orphans' Court of Cambria county. In the matter of the exceptions filed to the first and final account of Elisa Jane Glass, administratrix of James S. Durbin, who was one of the executors of Augustine Durbin, deceased. Having been appointed auditor to pass and decide upon said exceptions and report distribution among the persons legally entitled to receive the same notice is hereby given that I will sit in my office at the borough of Ebensburg on Monday the 13th day of May, 1889, at 10 o'clock A. M. to discharge the duties of said appointment when and where all parties interested may attend or be forever debarred from coming in on the fund.

DONALD E. DUFTON,
Ebensburg April 26, 1889. Auditor.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

TO THE DEMOCRACY OF CAMBRIA COUNTY. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register and Recorder at the ensuing Democratic Primary. CELESTINE J. BLAIR.
Ebensburg, March 20, 1889.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
F. J. O'CONNOR, of Johnstown, Penn'a. Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election.
Ebensburg, Pa., May 2, 1889.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
To the Democratic voters of Cambria county. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of District Attorney, subject to the rules of the Democratic party.
DONALD E. DUFTON.
Ebensburg, April 29, 1889.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY
James M. Walters of Johnstown, Pa. Subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries.
Ebensburg March 15, 1889.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
To the Democratic voters of Cambria county. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of the office of Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries
JAMES C. DARBY.
Conemaugh Bor., First ward, March 28, 1889.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.
To the Democratic voters of Cambria county. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Prothonotary, subject to the action of the ensuing Democratic Primary election.
GEORGE C. MILLER.
Conemaugh Bor., May 10, 1889.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR.
The name of Raphiel Hite of Carroll township is announced as a candidate for the nomination for Poor Director subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.
Ebensburg, May 8, 1889.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Est. of Rev John W. Denny, dec'd. Letters of administration on the estate of Rev. John W. Denny, late of Johnstown borough, Cambria county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement to
JAMES DENNY.
Administrator of Rev. John W. Denny, dec'd.
Great Belt, Butler Co., Pa., May 10, 1889.—6t

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of John A. O'Hara, deceased, late of the borough of Ebensburg, Cambria county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement to
ANNIE E. O'HARA,
Administratrix of John A. O'Hara, dec'd
Ebensburg, April 5, 1889.—6t.

FOR SALE.—A lot of ground situate in the borough of Tunnelhill, Cambria county, Pa., fronting 120 feet on Portage street and extending back 250 feet, having thereon erected two houses, one containing 5 rooms and the other 3 rooms. The property will be sold separate or together to suit purchasers. For further particulars inquire of Michael Donovan, Ebensburg, Pa.
MRS. MARY J. BYRNE.
Ebensburg, April 29, 1889.—3mo.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE.—Letters of administration on the estate of James McGarity, late of Washington township, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay; and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement to
ANNA McGARITY.
Administratrix of James McGarity, dec'd.
Cresson, April 26, 1889.—6t.

FARM FOR SALE.—There will be disposed of at private sale, a farm situate in Allegheny township, one-fourth mile from Loretto, on the road leading from said place to Ebensburg. This farm contains about 80 acres, about 60 acres of which are cleared, having thereon a new two-story frame house and barn, fine orchard, etc., and is in a good state of cultivation and well watered. For further particulars address
FRANCIS O'FRIEL,
Loretto, Feb. 1, 1889. Loretto, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration cum testamento annexo on the estate of Richard Mayers, late of Summerhill township, Cambria county, Pa., deceased have been granted to the undersigned, All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to me without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them, properly authenticated for settlement to
HENRY M. HUGH,
Adm'r of Richard Mayers, dec'd.

Assignee's Sale
OF VALUABLE
REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county, Pa., to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the storeroom of John H. Fiske, Agent, in Fallen Timber, White township, in said county of Cambria, on

FRIDAY, MAY 24TH, 1889,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., the interest of John H. Fiske, in the following described Real Estate, viz:

1. A lot of ground situate in White township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of A. H. Fiske & Co., United Brethren Church and Mrs. C. R. Fiske, having a large two-storied Plank Storeroom thereon erected.

2. A piece or parcel of land situate in said township of White, adjoining lands of A. H. Fiske & Co., United Brethren Church, Martin Nolan and Mrs. C. R. Fiske, containing Five Acres, more or less, having thereon erected a two-storied Frame Dwelling House, a Plank House and Frame Stable.

3. A piece or parcel of land situate in said township of White, adjoining lands of estate of A. H. Fiske, deceased, United Brethren Church, A. H. Fiske & Co., Martin Nolan and Henry Foster, containing Thirteen Acres, more or less, having thereon erected a two-storied Plank Shop.

4. A piece or parcel of land situate in said township of White, adjoining lands of John H. Fiske, United Brethren Church, Mrs. C. R. Fiske and John W. Husk, containing One Hundred Acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a two-storied Frame House and a Frame Barn.

5. A vein of coal known as the Great Bend vein, under land of John Gwin, in Reade township, Cambria county, Pa., adjoining lands of George Miller, Mrs. C. R. Fiske, W. P. Walker, estate of George Troxell, deceased, Mrs. B. F. Forshey and others, containing Eighty Acres, more or less.

6. A lot of ground in the village of Glasgow, in said township of Reade, adjoining lands of G. L. Glasgow and Samuel C. Troxell, and having a Plank House and Shed thereon erected.

7. A piece or parcel of land in said township, of Reade, adjoining lands of W. P. Walker estate of George Troxell, deceased, J. G. Hollen and George Cree, containing Seven Acres, more or less.

8. A lot of ground in the village of Glasgow, in said township of Reade, adjoining lands of Charles Miller, David K. Cree, —— Blackburn and Mrs. Susan Kelly.

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M. D. KITTELL,
Assignee of John H. Fiske, et. ux.
Ebensburg, Pa., May 2d, 1889, 3t.

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"What made you so late?" asked a Girard House clerk, as he threw down a key to which was attached a rough edge brass tag about the size of a buckwheat cake.

"Oh slow trains! Slow trains! they seemed to stop everywhere and at all the little cross roads."

"That's queer."

"I should say it was. Why at one place they stopped about seven minutes, while half a dozen people came out of the only house to be seen in the neighborhood and boarded the train. Did you ever hear anything like it?"

"Never."

"I have," said a little old man with long, shaggy hair, who had overheard the conversation while searching the Philadelphia directory for the name of a Boston firm.

"You have?"

"Yes; you may not believe it, but it's a fact. Some years ago I used to travel a good deal on the Old Colony railroad, up in Massachusetts. There was a place called Wheat Sheaf Lane, where the train stopped nearly every day for an old woman, who was always there to send some eggs to town. Now, would you believe it? One day the train stopped as usual for Aunt Betsy, who was there with her eggs, but she only had eleven. She said that an old hen was still on the nest, and she wanted the train to wait until she could make up the dozen."

"Yes."

"Well, I'll be darned if that train didn't wait while the hen laid the extra egg."

The late arrival said he guessed he would go to bed, the bediamoned hotel clerk swooned, and the little old man walked down the corridor and dropped wearily into a chair.

Unsafe.

A professional "funny man" says that he once gave a humorous lecture at which all his audience roared with laughter, with the exception of an old man in one of the front seats, who preserved an aspect of owl like solemnity. The humorist almost exhausted himself in efforts to win one smile from that stolid visage, and was only relieved by hearing, after the lecture, that the man was stone deaf.

At a very hilarious family party, one old gentleman, famous for his appreciation of a joke, was observed to be absolutely silent, even when the fun was at its loudest. His usual soberness of demeanor first puzzled and then disturbed his friends.

"Aren't you well to-night, uncle?" asked a young man, finally drawing the old gentleman aside.

"Bless you, yes, I never felt better!"

"You're not troubled about anything?"

"Why, no! What makes you ask?"

"I noticed you didn't smile at all when all the rest of us were laughing, and that's something new, you know."

The old gentleman put his hand to his mouth, and whispered:

"Don't you say a word, Harry, but just now I can't latgh. I'm afraid to. I've just got my new set of teeth, and I aint fairly used to 'em.

Growing Rhubarb.

An expert in gardening writes the following to a New York paper, as the result of his experience in growing the succulent "pie plant:" "I have found it best to open a trench eighteen inches deep and about the same in width, fill it within six inches of the top with well rotted manure and fine soil mixed and trampled down; on this I place large pieces of roots, having one strong bud, three feet apart, and cover with good mellow soil, rounding it up in a ridge. This ridge will settle four to six inches, and cultivation levels the surface. Planting is done as early in the spring as the ground can be worked. The soil is kept mellow and free of weeds with cultivator and hoe, and the plants make a rapid growth. Late in the fall they are covered with six inches of strong manure, which is raked aside early the following spring. Rhubarb sells well and brings a fair price very early in the spring. The demand ceases when strawberries begin to come in. Two good crops of large stalks are all I expect from one planting. In the rich, mellow soil of river bottoms it is not necessary to trench and manure as I do. Only the richest of rich soil will make large rhubarb."

Sagacity of Shepherd Dogs.

A gentleman who has had considerable to do with shepherds and drovers in England and Scotland, speaking of the story published in the *Oregonian* a day or two since about a dog separating the ewes and wethers of a flock by noticing the earmarks, says there is no doubt but what it is true. He has known dogs to go into a drove of sheep which were marked with several different marks and single out every one bearing his master's mark. He says the shepherds train their dogs by taking them along when puppies under their care as they mark the sheep, and the dog is thus taught to distinguish marks. He says further that at the market in Islington drivers have their sheep marked with red or blue paint, and droves get mixed a dog will go into the band and bring out all his master's sheep, telling them by the color of the marking. Shepherd dogs are the most intelligent species of the canine family, and when they are brought up among herds of sheep and tarined to take charge of them, it is but reasonable to suppose that they might learn to notice marks of any kind on them.

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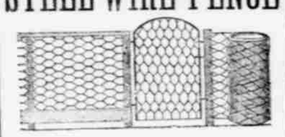

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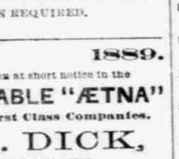

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To each of eight a single bed.
But the ninth must serve for two.

A din arose. The troubled host
Could only scratch his head;
For of those tired men no two
Would occupy one bed.

The puzzled host was soon at ease—
He was a clever man,
And so to please his guests devised
This most ingenious plan:

| A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I |

In room marked A two men were placed,
The third was lodged in B,
The fourth to C was then assigned,
The fifth retired to D.

In E the sixth he tucked away,
In F the seventh man,
The eight and ninth in G and H,
And then to A he ran,

Wherein the host, as I have said,
Had laid two travelers by;
Then taking one, the tenth and last,
He lodged him safe in I.

Nine single rooms a room for each,
Were made to serve for ten;
And this it is that puzzles me
And many wise men.

Wit and Wisdom.

Perambulators—Tramps.

The marriage tie is often a cross tie.

Idleness is the burial of a living man.

At the outset matrimony is a tie game.

"An idle brain is the devil's workshop."

Some mountain faces are boulder than others.

Happiness is not to be prescribed, but enjoyed.

It is good to begin well, but better to end well.

Good words are good, but good deeds are better.

A mother-in-law's tongue is a non-musical mouth organ.

The most conscientious mechanics have their vises.

History of Man—Bawled in infancy and bald in old age.

Tea and coffee are well termed "luxuries of the grocer kind."

In some hotels a man can get a bite just by jumping into bed.

A horse carrving a diminutive rider travels with mite and mane.

With regard to sparking over the front gate, a good deal can be said on both sides.

It is absurd to speak of the "foot-prints of time," when it is well known that time flies.

Even the tiger is not without affection. He is very much attached to his paw and maw.

A lad crawled into a sugar hogshead, and the first exclamation was, "Oh! for a thousand tongues."

Pearls of Thought.

Partial culture runs to the ornate, extreme culture to simplicity.

The lie rules, because truth has not the courage to unmask itself.

Who keepth his mouth and his tongue keepeth his soul from troubile.

A life without love is a painted fire; in vain do you expect light or warmth.

We never injure our own character so much as when we attack those of others.

Satire often proceeds less from illnature than from the desire of displaying wit.

Reactions often succeed revolutions; the success of reason, once achieved, lasts forever.

Parents, home, friends, riches, yes, life itself, are forsaken by womam who loves man.

All the whetting in the world can never set a razor edge on that which hath no steel in it.

A certain amount of wholesome ignorance is necessary to the enjoyment or even to the toleration of existence.

He Never Struck His Children.

"I have never struck my two children," said a young American father the other day, "though I have often been tempted strongly to it, and sometimes would not have blamed any parent for doing so. But I was thrashed so much by my own father, a good enough man, too, that I always stood in fear of him, seldom told him the truth if I could help it, and never confided in him. Often I was whipped for errors I had committed with good intentions, and I remember the wild spirit of hatred that used to come over me at such times, when, smarting under the blows I felt I did not deserve, I would get away by myself and swear silent but bitter oaths that would have opened the old gentleman's eyes to his folly, perhaps, if he could have heard them from so young a child. So I made a vow that would never beat my own children. And now I feel sure that they do not stand in physical fear of me, I am pretty certain they tell me the truth, and I know they confide in me as a friend. And though they do not obey me nearly as implicity as I did my father, and make ehemselves much more of a nuisance to me than I was to him, yet they don't regard me as a bully, and that is something."

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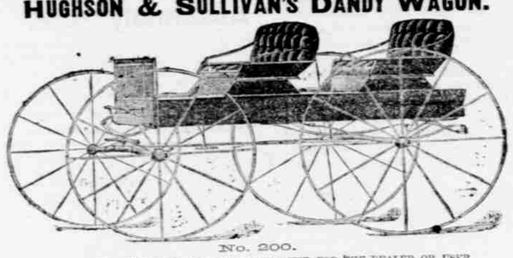

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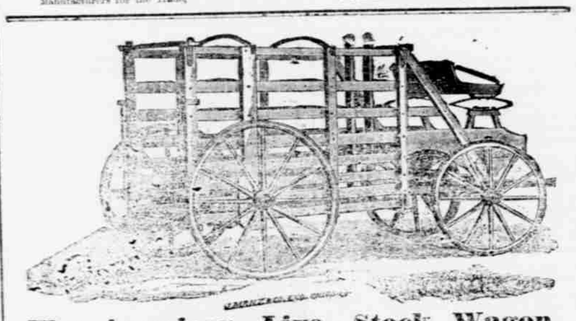

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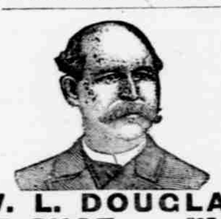

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About the year 1800, there lived a sort of indolent, thriftless, unpromising young man by the name of Eli Terry. His birthplace was the same as mine, Plymouth, Ct. He sought the hand and heart of a Miss Warner, was bitterly opposed by her friends on account of his inability to support her. Miss Warner was either a sister or a cousin of the late Mrs. Friend Ives, an old resident of Gun Plains, and grandmother of Leon and Fred Chichester. The Warners were solid old Puritan stock and despised laziness, but, not withstanding all opposition, they were married set up housekeeping, and soon destitution and want was about all that seemed visible for future days.

Eli had no visible means of support, but spent his time sitting on a stump or block, whittling out a circle he struck with an old compass or sawing off bits of wood from some dead trees, and thus day after day his time was spent, and the general impression was that he was crazy. Want pressed so hard in the home that the wife, by urgent entreaty of her friends, had about made up her mind to return to her parents' home, when the fruits of Eli's whittling and sawing materialized in the first wooden clock made in America, and, I believe, in any country. It was readily sold to a neighbor for $30 and paid for in pork, flour, potatoes, other family necessities, and a little money, with which he bought tools to facilitate his work in further prosecution of clock making. Another and another was made that sold readily as soon as completed. The foot lathe and small circular saws were added, then men were employed, clocks more readily made and eagerly sought after, and Eli Terry began to accumulate. In the meantime he had made application for letters patent upon his clock, and about 1802 or 1803 built a small shop and commenced improving on his clock and construction of machinery and tools and the foundation for a vast fortune was made which materalized in after years. Notwithstanding his unbounded benevolence, he became very rich. He died about 1845, at the advanced age of 85 years, beloved and respected by all who knew him, leaving a large family of grown-up boys and a number of grandsons, all very wealthy, and all living at Tarryville, Ct. controlling nearly all the wealth of the place, which was invested in large manufactories for clocks and locks. It is worthy of note that not one of the Terrys is left in that region and all their interests and investments have scattered or gone into other hands.

A Large Pendulum.

The longest pendulum on this continent swings in the technological school at Atlanta, Ga. It is a heavy pear shaped piece of iron attached to a brass wire forty-two feet long. The upper end of the wire is pivoted in a steel plate so as to cause the least possible friction. The swinginging of the pendulum gradually describes a circle on the floor in a direction following the sun, showing in this that "the earth do move."

Directly under the pendulum is a large circle divided into twenty-four parts, of fifteen degrees each, to correspond with the hours of the day. The north pole is placed directly under the pendulum and the meridians of longitude meet there. The parallels of latitude make smaller circles outside the first.

Dr. J. S. Hopkins, president of the school, who made and put up the pendulum, performs the experiment as follows: The iron is brought to the edge of the circle in the meridian of Atlanta and let swing across. Apparently it goes straight across, but gradually it traverses the circle in the direction taken by the sun and opposite to the revolution of the earth. The pendulum not being directly over the axis of the earth, does not move in exactly the same time as the sun, but falls behind some hours a day. It is said that if it were at the north pole, where it would be immediately over the axis, it would traverse the circle in exactly twenty-four hours, and at the equator it would not traverse it at all, for gravity would operate to prevent.

Farm Notes.

Fay's Prolific is unanimously pronounced the best currant for market in the report of the New Jersey Horticultural society.

"If we were raising peaches largely, we would use ground bone and karut or muriate of potash," says Rural New Yorker.

Mr. S. F. Baker considers the wren one of the best friends of farmers and encourages them to nest on his place. He has yet to see the sparrow feed on insect food of any kind.

Where a regular system of underdrainage does not commend itself, drains at least should be cut through the wet spots in fields, which by drowning out will perhaps offset the gain on other portions.

Look out for lice on poultry, cattle and hogs.

Many people make a mistake in turning their flock out in the pasture too early in the spring, before there is sufficient food for them to nourish themselves, and in that case the wool will commence to shed, affirms a sheep owner of many years' experience.

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Burning of Manure.

The dry rot of manure, commonly called "fire fangling," is a slow combustion which in all respects but lapse of time is precisely the same as burning. This chemical operation is simply oxidation or the union of the oxygen of the atmosphere with the carbon and hydrogen of the organic matter, the cellulose, starch, gum and fatty matters contained in the manure and the litter. This chemical union is the very same as that which would result if the straw were burned in a pile, and the heat evolved by the change is precisely the same in both cases, only in the first it is more energetic and concentrated and is more rapidly evolved than in the slower combustion of the manure pile. The final result in both cases is the production of carbon dioxide (carbonic acid) by the union of carbon and oxygen and water or steam (vapor) by the union of the hydrogen of the substances mentioned which forms water. So that the overheating of the manure consumes first the carbon and hydrogen, which are of no value as plant food, then the nitrogen is changed to amonia by combination with evolved hydrogen, and this product escapes as gas with the vapor and is lost, and, lastly, the ash or mineral matter is left with a black substance which is carbon, or, really, charcoal. So that in the end all that is left of the manure are the small quantities of mineral matter of the manure, lime, soda, magnesia, silica, potash, phosphoric acid, and sulpher chiefly, and some carbon. And the most valuable part, the nitrogen, is lost if this combustion is permitted to go on to the end. Hence care is to be taken to avoid this overheating by either spreading the manure where it is to be used or turning it over in the yard.

The Superstitions Chinese.

The Chinese are full of superstitions and many of them firmly believe that the foreigners make medicines out of human beings. The massacre at Tien-Tsin in 1870, in which twenty foreigners were killed and among them a number of French nuns, was caused by the report that the Sisters were killing children to get their hearts and eyes for medical purposes, and the trouble in Corea last Spring was caused by the circulation of the stories that the missionaries were grinding up children's bones to make medicine. The report was started by the Chinese. A tri monthly magazine which the Chinese publish, in a recent issue, contained a full description of how foreigners made their medicine, with ghastly illustrations of the severed trunks and the cut-up limbs of human beings. In one picture men in American clothes are bending over great furnaces in which the heads and legs of men are boiling, and beside which great baskets and tubs of cut up human remains lie. The men are stirring the steaming mass, and the picture makes one think of the witches' caludron in "Macbeth."

In another picture is shown the machinery for the grinding up of the bones and flesh. A dozen old skeletons lie upon the floor, and a man with a shovel puts the ghastly mass upon the scales for weighing. In another room the medicine is packed up to be sent away, and young ladies in American dress with waterfalls and French heels are busy at it. I asked the manager of the magazine whether he believed in such stuff, and he replied that he did not know, and asked if it was not really true.

The Craze for Monograms.

The craze for monograms has been revived, and not only the table linen and silverware bear the owner's interwoven initials, but the china also. A few well-known Detroiters have been the possessors for several years of complete Sevres dinner sets, each piece bearing the family monogram. These services were brought direct from the potteries of France.

"It was impossible a few years ago," said a Woodward avenue china dealer, "to have French porcelain ornamented in this country, but we now have a French family in our employ, located who do nearly all of our decorating. Of course there are a great many Detroit ladies who do hand painting and do some very beautiful work, but unless the designs are burned in it the decoration is only transitory. There are one or two young women who make a specialty of gilded decoration. For this purpose they employ gold sovereigns. The precipitate is mixed in correct proportions with oxide of bismuth and oil of turpentine. This they supply with a brush, and after firing it brings out the gliding by burnishing. You will readily see that the process is an expensive one. A single plate of French porcelain decorated in this manner commands all the way from $10 to $30."

Too Much Stage Kissing.

We commend to amateur actors, troubled with bad memories, the happy idea of our friend C., writes the "stage man" of The Baltimore American. Though a young man, he was to play the father, and the daughter chanced to be a very handsome woman. So when he forgot his part he could think of nothing better, while holding his "child," than to say:

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